



The Antique Gift Shop

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When a mermaid princess's hopes to marry
her human prince are squashed by the
domineering, morbidly obese ballerina to
whom the prince appears to be tied, she decides
to return to the

The Antique Gift Shop

Van River. But she's beaten to the punch by the
prince... and then the ballerina! What grave
secrets about them two does the murky water
conceal... and will either of them make it out
of the river alive?

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YOU HAVE TO
STAR THE PRINCE
IN THE MORN'G WITH
A DRESS FROM
AN EYE-WITCH

WITCHES ARE
THEY SAY, BUT
THEY'RE NOT
THEY'RE THE
WITCHES OF THE
WINDS OF THE
WINDS OF THE
WINDS OF THE

BEAUTIFUL FIREWORKS
ILLUMINATED THE NIGHT SKY
PEOPLE DANCED WITH JOY TO
CELEBRATE THE WEDDING OF THE
PRINCE TO A PRINCESS FROM
A NEIGHBORING LAND.



GOP
HOW
DO I
LOOK
-P

DON'T I LOOK
JUST LIKE A
PRINCESS?













OH MY
PRINCESS
YOU ARE SO
LOVELY

IF YOU WIN
THIS CONTEST
YOU WILL BE THE
BRIGHTEST JEWEL
IN THE WHOLE
WORLD YOUR
MOTHER WILL
KNOW FOR SURE IT
HAPPENED



SIS!
YOU'RE
AMAZING
PLEASE
MAKE
MOM'S
WISH
COME
TRUE



ARE YOU
DRINKING?

HOW COULD
YOU EVEN THINK
YOU'D FIT INTO THIS?
YOU'RE SUCH A
DISAPPOINTMENT
NO ONE WILL
LIKE YOU.

DON'T EAT!
DON'T EVEN
DRINK WATER!



GUESS
YOU CAN'T
ESCAPE YOUR
BLOODLINE.
YOU'LL SOON
BE LIKE US.
MY NAME IS,

YOU'RE PART OF
THIS LITTLE PISSEY
FAMILY!

YOU'RE
FINISHED!

NOOO!

SHATTER

MOO-
BYLAGE





NO,
DON'T
LOOK AT
ME



...PRIN-
CESS...

YOU WERE
MY PRINCESS THEN,
AND YOU ARE STILL
MY PRINCESS
NOW



EVERYONE
MAY HAVE GIVEN
UP ON YOU, BUT
I WAS GLAD
WHEN YOU CAME
TO SEE ME



YOU TOLD ME
THAT YOU GET
ANGRY WHEN
YOU DON'T EAT.
I'LL BEAR THE
BURDEN IF IT
MEANS YOU
STAY HAPPY



I WILL FIND
THEM FOR YOU.
I'M NOT AFRAID
OF DYING.

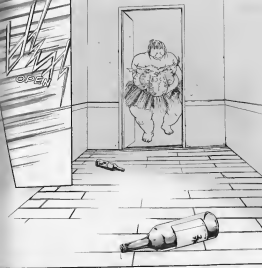
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EVEN IF I HAVE
TO SEARCH THE
ENTIRE HAN
RIVER.



...I WILL FIND
YOUR BULLET
BLOPPERS,
PRINCESS













TAKE
YOUR SHOES
OFF FIRST
GRAB
THAT'S THE
PART IT'S
DONE.



THAT'S
THE PROPER
ETIQUETTE FOR
COMMITTING
SUICIDE WITH
YOUR MANNERS!







ONCE I FIND
THEM, I WILL
RETURN.



SPLASH

IT IS TIME
TO RETURN
THE SHOES

HEY-!!



I TURNED INTO
THIS BECAUSE OF YOU...
BALLET WAS EVERYTHING
TO ME, BUT BECAUSE
OF YOU I COULDN'T
GO ON WITH IT







ALREADY



MY DREAM...

MY EVERYTHING...



I'M SO SORRY.
I'LL BUY YOU
A NICE PAIR
OF BALLET
SLIPPERS!

P



YOU'RE A
BALLET GENIUS
EVERYONE LOVES
YOU, DON'T
THEY?

TAKE THESE
SLIPPERS AND
MAKE THE
MOTHER'S WISHES
COME TRUE



GOT
THEM?





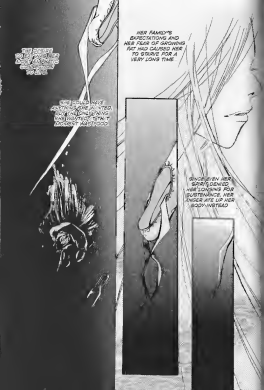


IF I CAN DRIVE
A LITTLE HARDER,
NOTHING ELSE
WILL MATTER



IT APPEARS BOTH
OF THEM WILL BE
RETURNING THIS
TIME





HER FAMILY'S
EXPECTATIONS AND
HER FEAR OF GROWING
PET HAD CAUSED HER
TO STARVE FOR A
VERY LONG TIME.

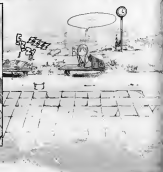
THEY HAD MADE
HER FEEL LIKE A
DOG, AND SHE HAD
HAD TO LIVE LIKE
ONE FOR A LONG
TIME.

SINCE THEN HER
BRAIN HAD
BEEN WORKING FOR
SUSTENANCE, HER
MIND HAD LIVED UP HER
BODY INSTEAD.



GRUMBLEE













SHUT
IT







990.
ALUMINUM

ALUMINUM
990.

ALUMINUM





WHATEVER.



IT'S OVER
NOW! YOU'RE
OVER!



MURMUR



.....



MURMUR



MURMUR



MURMUR



WHISPER



CRAP!

I'M NEVER
GOING BACK TO
LIVE STORE!





DOES THIS GOLD
NECKLACE
BELONG TO YOU?

OR
THE SILVER
NECKLACE?

YOU
SHOULD'VE
THROWN
FOOD...

AT-HEAT
THIS HIDDEN
NECKLACE MUST
BE YOURS,
KID!

WHAT THE — I
AM NOT
MAKING A
MOVE!







...THE DEAL
HAS NOT BEEN
COMPLETED.
FIND HIM,
OR...



...YOU
WILL DIE
BECAUSE
OF HIM.



DAMN
MR. TANG



JUST BECAUSE
I HAVEN'T BEEN ABLE
TO SAY HIM FOR A
FEW MONTHS, HE
THINKS HE CAN
FILL ME! THAT'S
HOWEVER IF THIS
WERE A MOVIE, NO
ONE WOULD WANT
TO SEE IT







CHAPTER 15 THE RIVER OF OBLIVION



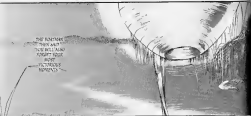
THEY WERE THE ONLY
ONE WHO HAD BEEN
TO THE RIVER OF
OBLIVION.

THEY WERE THE ONLY
ONE WHO HAD BEEN
TO THE RIVER OF
OBLIVION.



THE GIRL QUIETLY ACCEPTED THIS.

I WOULD LIKE TO FORGET ALL THE PAINFUL
THINGS THAT HAVE HAPPENED TO ME.



THE BOATMAN
SAID THEN AND
THEY WILL ALSO
FORGET YOUR
BROTHER
FORGOTTEN
MOMENTS

I ALSO WANT TO FORGET ALL MY PAINFUL

I WOULD LIKE TO FORGET ALL THE HATE I FEEL FROM OTHER PEOPLE.

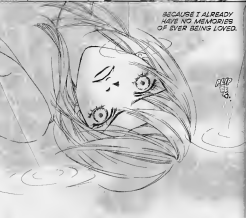
THE FORTNIGHT
REPLIES...

THE FORTNIGHT
REPLIES...

THE FORTNIGHT
REPLIES...



THEY'VE
LOST



BECAUSE I ALREADY
HAVE NO MEMORIES
OF EVER BEING LOVED.

POP
UP
G.



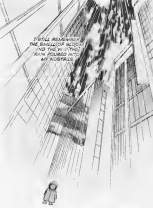
WHY DID I DO THAT?
WHY DID I
ABANDON YOU



WHY DID THE
ABANDON ME?



WASTING
SUCH A HARD
TIME BAKING ME



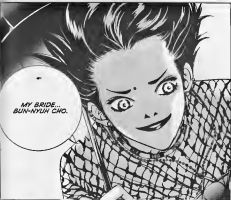




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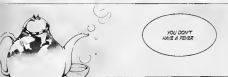


MS MM-1
YOU'VE TURNED
INTO A BEAUTIFUL
WOMAN. KAREN'T
YOU?



HELP
MEEEEEE!







WOULD YOU LIKE
ANYTHING TO EAT?

STOP
BOTHERING
ME AND GO
DO YOUR
JOB.

YOU ARE
THE ONE WHO
CALLS ME IN HERE
EVERY FIVE
MINUTES.

FEAR.
AND SINCE
WHEN DID YOU
LISTEN TO ME SO
OBLIVIOUSLY?



...WANTS YOUR
NAME, AM
I NOT?



ANYWAY—EVER
GUESSED THAT'S NOT
IMPORTANT IF IT WASN'T
FOR THE SPOKE, HE
WOULD NEVER
HAVE MET

ARE YOU NICE TO
ME BECAUSE YOU'RE
WORRIED ABOUT
BEING KIDNAP

IF SOMETHING
WERE TO HAPPEN
TO YOU, MY PLAN
WOULD FALL
APART



PLAN?

THERE'S NO FUTURE
FOR A MAN OF YOUR AGE
IN THIS STORE. I'M GOING
TO TELL THE SHOP-BOON
WHAT'RE YOU GOING TO
DO WHEN I GO?



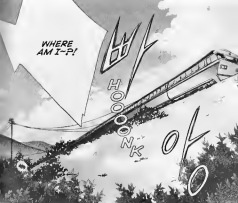
WELL,
PERHAPS I'LL
RETURN TO MY
ACQUAINTANCE







WHERE
AM I-P!



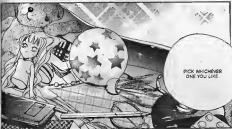
WAAAAH-!

YOU'RE
SCARING
ME!!-!



THE
TRAIN'S
NOTHING
SCARED
THAN
WHEN
YOU'RE
SCREAM-
ING AT
ME!





THE NEXT STATION IS
DABUL... STOPPING
AT DABUL...

LOOK AT THIS.
I'VE GOT A NOSE
HERE 'COOSE YOU HIT
ME IN THE HEAD
WITH A STONE.

DABUL'S
PUP IS DOING
ANY GOOD.

WHERE'RE
YOU GOING?

GODDAMN
BUT I...

NOOOO-
NOOOO-
I NEVER
WANT TO BE
APART FROM
POOOU-I
LET'S GO
TO MY
HOUSE!!

GOODY
GOODY

WHAT'S
WRONG
WITH
YOU??

SHAYS



...ARE
YOU...

...LIKE THIS
BECAUSE
OF WHAT
HAPPENED
THAT TIME?

OHMY-
I GOT IT
WHY DIDN'T
I REALIZE IT
BEFORE?

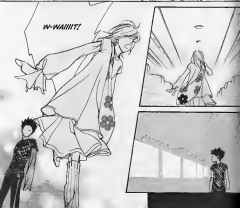
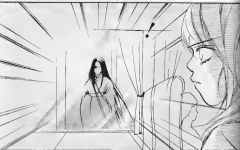
EVEN THOUGH IT'S A
LITTLE UNCOMFORTABLE,
I'M TOTALLY USED TO
IT NOW. MY MOM STILL
SAYS IT'S ALL YOUR
FAULT AND CRIES A
LOT THOUGH.

IT'S BECAUSE
OF THIS ARM THAT
I REMEMBER
YOU.

I

DID THAT
DO YOU?







I SAW HIM
HE WAS STANDING
RIGHT HERE...











WTF THE HELL
ARE YOU DOING?



GRAB



LET GO OF
ME! I'M NOT
SUPPOSED TO
BE HERE!



YOUR SLUT
IS WAITING.



YOU
MUSTN'T
MAKE HIM
WAIT ANY
LONGER.



DOES SHE REALLY
EXPECT ME TO EAT
THIS MESSY GUPP?



I'M LEAVING IN
THE MORNING



WHERE'S
THE GUESTS
GONE SUCH
A LONG



I CLOSED THE
STORE. I'M GOING
BACK TO SCHOOL
AND STUDYING
ABROAD NEXT
YEAR



THIS WILL
BE THE LAST
TIME YOU'LL
EVER SEE
ME

















IT'S BEEN
AGES SINCE I
HAD A GOOD
MEAL.

HURRY...

WOW!

MR. HARRY!
HARRY TUNING
ABOUT TO
EXPLODE

GRANN!

BOLE
BOLE



THE BLOOD IS SO DARK

I TOLD YOU NOT TO EAT TOO MUCH



I TOLD YOU NOT TO EAT TOO MUCH

UNLIKE YOU, I CAN'T LIVE ON VEGETABLES! SOMEONE YOU HAVE TO EAT GREASY FOOD IF YOU WANT SMOOTH FOOD!



LET GO!

HIS

HAVE YOU EVER
FELT THAT A PART OF
YOUR MEMORY HAS
BEEN TAKEN AWAY
FROM YOU?

IS THAT
WHAT THEY CALL
SHORT-TERM
MEMORY
LOSS?

GOOD MEMORY?
GOOD MEMORY.

IS THERE A
PROBLEM?

ALWAYS
FORGET THINGS
EARLY YOU CAN
NOT REMEMBER
EVERY SINGLE
GOOD MEMORY



NONE OF
YOUR BUSINESS

IT'S NOT
SOMETHING
I WANT TO
DISCUSS WITH
MY EMPLOYER

WHERE'D
YOU GO?

BLAH
TAY

—
—

WHY?
I CAN'T
HEAR YOU





YOU
LITTLE
PISS!

THE SON
CAME UP A
LIFETIME AGO!
HOW COULD
YOU SLEEP IN ON
THE FIRST DAY OF
YOUR MARRIED
LIFE?



YOU WITCH! GET
UP AND COOK MY
BREAKFAST!

LOOK
LOOK...



GOOD
MORNING,
MY BRIDE.

APH~! I'M
STILL TIRED
LET'S SLEEP
SOME MORE~!
ALL RIGHT?

WHY ARE YOU
STILL SITTING
THERE? BEHIND
YOUR HUSBAND
WIFE! SO HE
CAN WASH UP~!

ARRRRRRGH!

SHARRRR!











IF YOU RUN
AWAY FROM
ME AGAIN, I
WOON'T JUST
STAND BY
THIS TIME.

IF YOU
DO...



—
—
—
LAST NIGHT

I TOLD YOU
A MEN SHOULDN'T
DO ANY HOUSEHOLD
CHORES YOU
WILL LOSE YOUR
PEE-PEE COME
HERE RIGHT
NOW!

TEE-HO!

RIGHT
RIGHT I'LL
LOSE MY
PEE-PEE

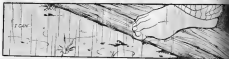
YOU MURDER
DO YOU LIKE
YOUR BITE
THAT MUCH--?

RIGHT
BITE IS IN
THE PE

IF YOU DO

I'LL TELL EVERYONE
THAT I FEEL YOU UP
LAST NIGHT

NO
THE
MURDER





I APOLOGIZE
FOR COMING INTO
YOUR HOUSE WITHOUT
PERMISSION... AND FOR
EATING YOUR FOOD AND
FELLING ASLEEP



I'M SORRY
ABOUT YOUR
SON'S ASK, BUT IT
HAS NOTHING TO DO
WITH ME. NOBODER
I HAVE NO INTENTION
OF MARRYING
HIM

WHEN THE
RAIN STOPS,
I'LL GO BACK
HOME AND
REBURSE YOU
FOR WHAT
I ATE



IT HAS BEEN DURING
CONSECUTIVE YEARS
HAVE ALREADY LEFT
THE VILLAGE BECAUSE
OF THE FLOOD

SO WHY
DO YOU THINK
WE'RE STILL
HERE...?



IT'S BECAUSE
THE ROAD TO
THE VILLAGE
IS BLOCKED
THERE WAS A
LANDSLIDE



NO ONE CAN
ENTER OR
LEAVE THIS
HOUSE



HOW
DARE
YOU!



YOU TREATED
MY SON LIKE
YOUR SERVANT
AND HAD NO
RESPECT FOR
YOUR ELDERS
WHEN YOU
WERE YOUNG
YOU'RE STILL
THE SAME,
BITCH.

I ONLY
ACCEPTED
YOU BECAUSE
MY SON SAID YOU
WERE THE ONLY
ONE FOR HIM
YOU'RE A BITCH,
THROUGH AND
THROUGH!

STOP
CALLING
ME A BITCH!
I DON'T
KNOW HOW
IT YOU KEEP
BLAMING
ME, I'LL RUN
YOU

YOU STOLE MY
SON'S PURITY
LAST NIGHT
DIDN'T YOU?





LET GO OF ME
FIRST THE HELL
ARE YOU
DROPPING?

COME
HERE?



CLEAN THE TOILET
TAKE OUT ALL THE
POOP AND FERTIL-
IZE OUR FIELDS WITH
IT ALSO, WEED THE
ENTIRE BACKYARD

WHEN YOU'RE
DONE CLEANING
THE KITCHEN AND
OUR BEDROOMS,
YOU'LL MAKE OUR
DINNER AND I
WANT HERE!



IF YOU
FORGET
ANY OF THE
THINGS I'VE
LISTED OFF,
I'LL BE AND
YOU IN THE
TOILET ALL
NIGHT AND
LEAVE YOU
OUT IN THE
RAIN





**GO
AWAY!!**





I'M NOT
LEAVING



I'LL DO
EVERYTHING
FOR YOU. I'LL
TAKE OUT THE
POOR, CATCH
FISH, AND
CARRY YOU
ON MY BACK
EVERY SINGLE
DAY—!

I'LL PLAY WITH
YOU LIKE WE
USED TO



YOU'RE MY
BRIDE. I WON'T
BE TAKEN AWAY
FROM YOU.



I WON'T
LEAVE
YOU~!



IF HE STOOD
WITH ME WHEN
I'M LIKE THIS



LET ME
DON'T
LETTER WHO
YOU IS



WAAH~!
or WAAH~!
or~

THANK
YOU~



HHHHH

DON'T WORRY
I'LL DO
EVERYTHING
FOR YOU



I CAN
DO — !

ANY
YOU'RE
SALVAGING
IT EVERY-
WHERE

HA
TO
SHAKE



SHAKE

SHAKE





I CAN'T
FIGURE TO
HEART-NEED
MY BABY

MY BABY IS
WAITING FOR ME
THERE I HAVE
TO FEED HIM



AAAAAAH

YOU
CAN FIND
EVERYTHING
THERE



...MOM...



THAT'S
MY MOM

SHE LOST
HER MIND WHEN I
BECAME LIKE THIS.
SHE GOES WILD
ON RAINY DAYS
AND RUNS AROUND
THE VILLAGE
LIKE THAT



MY MOM
LOVES TO
HEAR ME
SING...



MY DREAM WAS
TO BECOME A
ROCK STAR. I
WANTED
TO SING
AND PLAY
GUITAR.

I WISH
THERE
WAS A
GUITAR
I COULD
PLAY WITH
ONLY ONE
ARM.



MY FUTURE
WAS RUINED
BECAUSE
OF YOU, HIKARI.



SHOULD I
SING FOR
MY SISTER?



BECAUSE DURING
YOUR DREAMS AND
YOUR PAINFULNESS
I SAW THE BEAUTY OF
NATURE. I CAN SAY
YOU'RE A ROCK STAR.





HOW~?
YOU LOOK
LIKE AN
ANGEL~!

YOU FINALLY
LOOK LIKE A
NEW BRIDE.





I REMEMBER
THE TIME WHEN HE
PLAYED THE HOSPITAL
GAME YOU HIT MY
HEAD WITH A STONE
BECAUSE YOU SAID
THAT A PATIENT HAD
TO SLEEP.

AND YOUR
GRANDMA
SPANNED YOU
SO MUCH YOU
HIT ME JUST AS
MUCH AFTER.

GRANDMA
SPANNED ME
FOR HITTING
YOU FIRST.

YOU PLAYED
WITH ME ALL
DAY WHENEVER I
SAID YOU TWO
CANDIES...

SHANNAN, LOOK
AT THIS—I AM UNCLE
FROM BEIJING SENT
IT TO ME.

I WANT THAT

NO WAY! THIS
WAS MADE IN
THE U.S.

IF YOU GIVE IT TO ME,
I'LL HARRY YOU.

IT'S LIKE TO PLAY
WITH YOU GAVE ME NEAR A
HUNDRED YEARS OLD EVEN IF
YOU DIDN'T GIVE ME CANDY

HARRY MET
PINKIE THAT



REALLY?



BUT YOU LOST
THAT PENCIL NOT
LONG AFTER

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YOU
MEMORIZED
THE NUTCRACKER
CAPTION BETTER THAN
ANYONE AND
CAUGHT THE
MOST BEARS
YOU WERE
JOEY,
AND AND
GRAB

SMILE
If/...

LAST





I HATE / INTOLERANCE
I HATE YOUNG TOO...

I DON'T EVEN
REMEMBER YOU
STUPID. HOW CAN
YOU STILL THINK
I'M PRETTY?



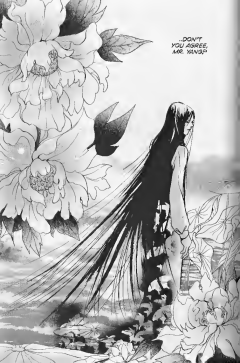
MY MOM SAID
YOU LOOKED LIKE A
WOLF AFTER SHE SAW
YOU SMILING ON A
SUNNY DAY. SHE
TOLD ME THAT YOU'D
BE FASCINUS WHEN
YOU GROW UP.

SHE ALSO
SAID SHE
WAS HAPPY
WHENEVER
SHE SAW
YOU.



HE'S LIVING

...DON'T
YOU AGREE,
MR. KING?





WHAT DOES
YOUR YOUNG FRIEND
WANT?



TO HURRY ME!



HE MUST
BE PRETTY
DARING
THEN.



WHERE
ARE YOU
PLANNING
TO GO?



I'M NOT
GOING
ANYWHERE
...IT'S RAIN-
ING



I TRIED SO
HARD TO RUN
AWAY FROM
THE STORM
FROM MY
GRIEVANCE



THE RAIN
SOUNDED LIKE
ANGRY DOGS
BARKING, AND
THE RAINDROPS
STUNG MY SKIN
LIKE I WAS BEING
WHIPPED

I WAS THE
ONE WHO WAS
ABANDONED IN
THIS STORM. I DON'T
UNDERSTAND WHY I
HAVE TO RUN AWAY
LIKE I'M GUILTY OF
SOMETHING. BUT I
KEEP TRYING TO
RUN AWAY FROM
EVERYTHING
ANYWAY



I FEEL AT FAULT IN
THAT HOURGLASS, LIKE
A PRISONER WHO
BROKE OUT OF JAIL
AND FOUND A RAY
OF HOPE



THE ONLY
THING I'M
WORRIED
ABOUT IS...



YOU
WHERE ARE
YOU?



THAT'S
STRANGE.
WHY ISN'T
IT RAINING
HERE?



BECAUSE
NEITHER OF
US ASKED
THE RAIN
TO COME

THE
RAIN ISN'T
A GOD. IT
DOESN'T
COME WHEN
YOU CALL
IT. YOU
KNOW



RAIN IS
A VERY
TRICKY
THING



RAIN MAKES PEOPLE
REMEMBER THE PAST.
BUT THE MEMORIES
ARE ENLARGED
AND DISTORTED

RAIN CAUSES
PEOPLE'S MINDS
TO WALK TO
YOU. RAIN
IS



IF YOU'RE
GONNA SAY
THAT BEING
ABANDONED IN
THE BLIND WILL
TURN INTO
A GOOD
MEMORY...

...THEN
I DON'T
WANTA
HEAR IT

TO ME, BEING
WAS LIKE THE
MURDER WEAPON
THAT KILLED ME.
I WANT TO FORGET
EVERYTHING. I
WILL FORGET.



YES... JUST LIKE YOU
FORGOT ABOUT YOUR
YOUNG FRIEND, YOU
WILL FORGET ABOUT
ME SOMEDAY



I WON'T
FORGET
ABOUT
YOU!



NOT YOU



YOU WERE TOO
GOOD OF AN
EMPLOYEE



THANK
YOU



...AND YOUR FEARS—
EVERYTHING YOU
WANT TO FORGET
IN ORDER TO KEEP
LIVING. THEY ARE
ALL CONNECTED.

BUT MEMORIES ARE
LIKE CHAINS. YOU CANNOT
CHOOSE WHICH ONES TO
KEEP AND WHICH ONES TO
FORGET. YOUR EMPLOYER,
THE STORE, THE ARTICLES,
YOUR GRANDMOTHER—

FEAR WILL
COMPEL YOU
TO DRINK FROM
THE RIVER OF
OBLIVION.







WHY'S MY
DRESS RIPP?



OH NO,
HOMERUN!
IF DAD FINDS
OUT I MET THE
TED, HE'LL
BE MAD!!



GASH
GASH



CAN YOU TELL
HIM YOU DID IT?
WHEN WE WERE LITTLE,
I TOLD YOUR GRANDMA
I WAS THE ONE WHO
MET THE TED FOR
YOU

I PRETENDED
THAT I WAS
THE ONE WHO
SET FIRE TO
OUR KITCHEN
AND KILLED
THE CHILDREN
FOR YOU!!

I'LL NEVER FORGET
ON BEING THE TEACHER
WHEN WE PLAY THE SCHOOL
GAME. YOU USED TO TELL
ME THAT IT WASN'T FUN
TO PLAY HIDE-AND-SEEK
BECAUSE I KEPT HIDING IN
THE SAME PLACE, BUT I CAN
HIDE IN A DIFFERENT
PLACE NOW







IT'S RAINING
SO HARD, YOU
CAN'T EVEN SEE
PROPERLY.



IT'S
REALLY
COMING
DOWN



LET'S
GO BACK
IT'S RAINING
TOO HARD



I AM GOING
TO FIND "US."

**BUN-
NYUH!**





I HAVE TO KNOW
ABOUT YOU. I HAVE
TO KNOW ABOUT MY
CHILDHOOD, ABOUT THE
THINGS ONLY YOU
REMEMBER

SAY
SOMETHING,
SHORTY.

I NEED TO
KNOW WHAT
HAPPENED TO
YOUR ARM
TOO

ARE YOU
GOING TO DO
NOTHING WHILE
THAT DAMNED
FATHER AND HIS
STUPID SON TRY TO
TAKE SUN-POUN
AWAY?

SHINDAI KNOWS
ABOUT EVERYTHING!
SHE KNOWS!







...OVER.

MEGA



KRA-KOOM





HEH-HEH...



HEH-HEH-HEH...







THIS IS
THE RIVER OF
OBLIVION. IT
LEADS TO THE
LAND OF THE
DEAD.



I'M NOT
RISKING YOUR
SOUL, I GET
SEASICK.



HAH?

Y-YOU
ARE...?



YOU MUST
CHOOSE TO
DRINK THE RIVER
WATER IF YOU
WANT TO ERASE
THE MEMORY OF
YOUR LIFE.

HOW
COULD THIS
HAPPEN...

WELL, WELL...
STOP STANDING
AROUND AND GET
ON THE BOAT
ALREADY.



WHY ARE YOU
LAUGHING AT
ME? DO YOU
KNOW ME OR
SOMETHING?





ABOUT
HAPPY

IT WAS ALL MY
FAULT IF I HADN'T
GONE INSIDE THE
STORAGE ROOM...



EVERYTHING
STAYED IN
THE STORAGE
ROOM.

I KNOW YOU
WILL LET THEM
TEAR MY BODY
TO SHARDS



WHY...



WHY DID YOU
LET THEM KILL
ME? WHY NOT
WAKE ME UP?



NOT LONG
BEHIND YOU
THE BOY ALSO
CAME TO THE
RIVER OF
GELWON

I HAVE SEEN
MORE DEAD
PEOPLE THAN I
CAN COUNT BUT
EVEN I COULDN'T
BELIEVE HOW
GUILTY THE BOY'S
PAIN MEMORY
WAS



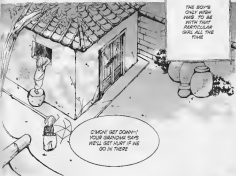
THE BOY
WAS SHAKING
WITH FEAR
WHEN HE
RECOUNTED
WHAT AND
HAPPENED
TO HIM, BUT
HE SAID
CLEARLY.



YOU KNOW
SHE'S THE
PRETTIEST AND
STRONGEST
PERSON IN THE
WORLD SHE
DIDN'T TEASE
ME EVEN THOUGH
I'M STUPID

SHE'S MY
DAD





AND HE HAD
TO ENDURE
THE CRUEL
MEMORY OF
HIS LAST DAY
IN ORDER TO
GO ON
TO HER





RAINING

GO AWAY!
DON'T COME
NEAR ME!

RAINING — !

RAINING — !



Don't take me—?
Don't take me—?
Don't take me—?

TAKE ME—!



IT'S OVER
SUNAKOJI
IS MINE



WHY ARE
YOU JUST
WATCHING?
I KNOW WHAT
YOU WANT



YOU KNOW
VERY WELL
SHE WILL NOT DO
NOT EVEN IF I
FORCE HER

YOU WANT HER,
AND SHE BELIEVES
THAT AS A MAN
SOWS, SO SHALL
HE REAP. I THINK
YOU HAVE MORE
RIGHT TO HER
THAN I DO

WHAT IS THE
PROBLEM?
SHE IS A VERY
NICE PERSON
SHE WILL CROSS
THE BOUND OF
OBLIVION
WITH YOU



AS SHE
SOWS.

SO SHALL
SHE REAP

WHY DID
MY MEMORY
COME BACK?
YOU SAID THIS
EVER WATER
WOULD ERASE
EVERYTHING!

BECAUSE YOU
DIDN'T DRINK
THE WATER. YOU
DIDN'T NEED THE
WATER FROM
THE RIVER OF
ORLON.

JUST
LIES
NOW.

...THE GHOST
AND REAR THAT
YOU COULDN'T
REAR HAS ERASED
THAT GHOST'S
MEMORY ALL
ON ITS OWN.

BECAUSE
MEMORIES ARE
LIKE CHAINS. YOU
CAN SOMETIMES
PULL THEM BACK
OUT OF THE
BLUE.

BECAUSE
HUMANS HAVE TO
KEEP ON LIVING.
THEY THINK THAT
MEMORY IS JUST
A FANTASY OR A
DREAM. AND THEY
FABRICATE FRIDS
TO MARK THE
TRUTH.





LET'S
GO.



THE END...
THE END OF LOVE...
THE END OF ALL
RELATIONSHIPS

THE END
OF TIME...

...THE RIVER OF
OBLIVION...



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